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In re application of: Som Nath PURI, et al.

Serial No.: 09/804,994

Group No.: 1764

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Examiner:

For: PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF CATALYST USEFUL FOR LIQUID-LIQUID  
SWEETENING LPG AND LIGHT PETROLEUM DISTILLATES

Attorney Docket No.: U013305-7

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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May 11, 2001. Copies of the Preliminary Amendment and its postcard receipt are attached.

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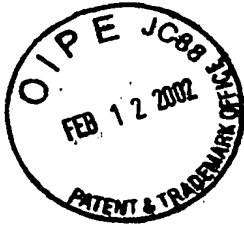
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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

3. (Amended) An improved process as claimed in claim 1 wherein the chloride reagent used is selected from the group consisting of thionyl chloride, phosphorous trichloride and phosphorous trichloride and phosphorous pentachloride.

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